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Judge Susan Strong Named 2008 Presiding Judge of County Court's Third Judicial District

Judge Susan Strong has been named County Court Presiding Judge of the 3rd Judicial District (Lancaster County) beginning January 1, 2008. The Nebraska Supreme Court approved the nomination of Judge Strong, whose name was submitted by her fellow county court judges for the leadership position.

Judge Strong was appointed to the county court bench in Lincoln on June 7, 2006 and sworn in on July 13, 2006. She came to the county court bench from the Public Protection Bureau of the Nebraska Attorney General's Office, where her duties included prosecuting health care professionals for violating the Uniform Licensing Law, including substandard care, unprofessional conduct and unauthorized practice of law.

Before joining the Attorney General's Office, Strong had spent most of her legal career in private practice, focusing on areas of employment law, personal injury, product liability, breach of contract and malpractice, both in Lincoln and in Denver, Colorado. While in Denver she served as a judicial law clerk for U.S. District Court Judge Richard Matsch.

As presiding judge, Judge Strong has primary responsibility for overseeing the delivery of county court services within her judicial district. She will also serve as the liaison to other agencies of local and state government for the Lancaster County Court and to the Nebraska State Bar Association and the press.

Presiding judges also bear the responsibility for overseeing personnel matters and providing direction in matters of local policy.

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